

CHARGES SISTER WAS BRUTALLY TREATED

Mrs. Pennock of Lisbon Testifies at
State Hospital Probe at Concord.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 24.—At the resumption today of the investigation into the affairs of the state hospital, Mrs. Elizabeth Pennock of Lisbon declared the care of her sister in the institution had been brutal in the extreme.

She said that when called to the hospital by the expected death of her sister in July, 1914, she found that no liquids had been given her for two weeks, though fear as stated, that she would choke to death. She was very low and the witness and her death was momentarily expected. Mrs. Pennock said she insisted on having water and a sponge with which to wet her sister's lips, which the nurse protestingly granted, and as a result she was able to bring her sister back so that she was able to drink water and milk. She also charged that her sister had a sinking spell in the afternoon, and that she brought her out of it through insistence that the doctors and nurses give her the proper remedies.

She said that the nurse told her that the rules and physicians forbade the nurses tending with the patients. She said that her sister died in December and that while near her last moments an attendant had brought her a boiled dinner for the midday meal. She said that while at the hospital in attendance upon her sister, she had seen dinner trays brought to the bedside of patients who could not feed themselves, to be later taken away with the food untouched; and that on the occasion of his weekly visit Superintendent Farncroft paid very little attention to the patients, "no more" said she "than any man would in looking over a public institution."

On cross examination she said she had never reported the statement that nurses were not permitted to fuss over the patients to either Dr. Hanbroft or Dr. McDonald.

William E. Eckart, an expert accountant of Hoston, who has been examining the accounts of the hospital since Sept. 1, 1913 testified. It was during his examination as to the methods of keeping accounts of the money sent in by paid patients for the purchase of supplies and luxuries not included in the hospital list that Gen. Streeter asked if there were any charges of profit that they be prevented, in order that they might be met.

Mr. Morris of counsel for the commission replied that he had received intimations of such and that they would be brought in if an investigation showed them to be warranted.

TWO MORE BRITISH STEAMERS ARE SUNK

Second Vessel Lost Off Beachy Head --Collier Sunk Off Scarborough--British Cruiser Takes German Supply Ship

Public Opinion in Norway Greatly Disturbed Over Sinking of Ships

(Special to The Herald)

Portsmouth, England, Feb. 25.—The British steamer West Coast sunk off Beachy Head early today after being hit by a torpedo or striking a mine. The West Coast hailed from Liverpool. The members of its crew were landed here and report that a sudden explosion occurred when the vessel was but a few miles off Beachy Head and began to settle at once. Boats were lowered and all the members of the crew were able to escape. The British coal steamer Rio Parana, bound from Tyne to the Island of Elba, was sunk only a short distance from the same place on Wednesday afternoon.

The captain of the British steamer West Coast, which was sunk in the English channel by a submarine this morning, stated that he saw another steamer sinking at the same time his ship foundered. The West Coast was bound from Plymouth with both passengers and freight.

The story of the disaster as told by a member of the crew follows: "No warning was given us and we saw no hostile boat. Suddenly there was a mighty explosion and the vessel disappeared, sinking in seven minutes. All the indications are that we were torpedoed, although we may have struck a mine. A column of

Copenhagen, via London, Feb. 24.—Public opinion in Norway is greatly disturbed over the torpedoing in the English channel off Dover of the Norwegian steamer Regia, presumably by a German submarine, according to an article appearing today in the newspaper Politiken, and as soon as a report covering the disaster is received it will demand that the Norwegian Government send to Germany a communication, the meaning of which it will be impossible to mistake.

It has been intimated, the paper says, that all exports from Norway to Germany will cease until a satisfactory explanation is forthcoming, one which will outline the course Germany purposes to follow with regard to Norwegian shipping.

GERMANS LOSE 50,000 MEN

(Special to The Herald)

Paris, Feb. 25.—At least fifty thousand men were lost by the Germans in their attack on the Russian positions on the Rukla river, and in the regions of Borzhom and Gumbinnen, according to Ludovic Naudeau, the Journal's correspondent, who witnessed the operations. He considers the general situation highly favorable to the Russians and says: "The Germans are being gradually but implacably worn down. Whether they attack or merely defend themselves, their armies melt away from day to day. Their feverish activity and their frightful sacrifice of lives show they realize they are fighting against time."

STEAMER MISSING FOR FIVE DAYS

(Special to The Herald)

Rotterdam, Feb. 25.—The steamship City of Brussels left this port five days ago for Belfast and has not been heard from since. It is supposed that she was sunk by a mine or a submarine. The City of Brussels was a 1027-ton steamer.

FOOD STRIKES ON IN ITALY

(Special to The Herald)

Rome, Feb. 25.—A national strike threatens Italy. Owing to the economic crisis brought about by the war and the high price of bread, a general strike was called at Naples on Wednesday. About 5000 men were idle in that city this morning.

POLICEMAN KILLED BY BROTHER OFFICER

Jersey City Officers Settle Old Time Quarrel With Revolvers.

(Special to The Herald)

Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 25.—Patrolman Charles Hill of the Jersey City police force met his death from the muzzle of the pistol of a brother patrolman, Vincent Cash, following an alleged altercation today. Five shots were fired, one of the bullets piercing Hill's heart. Cash was arrested and brought to police headquarters where it is said that he admitted that he had slain Hill, but not until driven to it by the dead policeman. He said that there had been bad blood between them for more than a year.

GALLINGER AND LEWIS DIALOGUE

Dr. Gallinger, senior senator from New Hampshire, likes to prod Senator Jim Ham Lewis. The other day while

RECKLESS DRIVER OF AUTO IS ARRESTED

John F. Lowd, Who Hit Two Carriages Tuesday Night, Taken By
Deputy Leach of Elliot.

Deputy Sheriff Maurice S. Leach of Elliot went to York Harbor on Wednesday evening and arrested John F. Lowd, a plumber of that town, charged with operating an automobile without a license, without lights, and without a reckless driving, and 1914 license, which is void.

In conversation with the sheriff, Lowd admitted that he was the man who on Tuesday evening, while operating a runabout automobile on the Post road, killed two carriages, one occupied by Mr. Charles Weeks and the other by Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Pettigrew, the latter's mother, Mrs. Moses Downing, and their daughter Dorothy.

Downing sustained a sprained ankle. Lowd also admitted to Deputy Sheriff Leach that he was under the influence of liquor at the time of the accident. He was operating under a 1914 license, which is void.

After furnishing bond Lowd was allowed to go. His case will come up at South Berwick next Wednesday.

Mrs. Downing is resting as comfortably as can be expected, but she will be obliged to remain in bed for some time. Besides receiving a sprained ankle she was very severely bruised. Both Mrs. Pettigrew and Mr. Weeks received a bad shaking up and their bridges, and feel the effects of their fall were several shaken up and Mrs. experience a great deal.

TOWED INTO HALIFAX HARBOR

Coast Guard Cutters Take Crippled Steamer Into Port.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 25.—The steamer Florence Tile was towed into this harbor today by the U. S. Coast Guard cutters Graham and Andropogon.

The Florence Tile had asked aid by wireless and the cutters located her and towed her in. She was bound from New Orleans to Ploos, Greece, and is badly damaged, with leaking boilers and crippled rudder.

NOTICE

The parish social at the Court street church has been postponed on account of the weather. The social will probably be held Thursday of next week.

ARMY AND NAVY MANOEUVRES

Naval Demonstration Planned by Secretary Daniels in June.

New York, Feb. 24.—Plans for combined army and navy manoeuvres on a gigantic scale with New York city as the prize of contending forces are under consideration by Secretary Daniels, although the project has not yet

progressed to the point where it is assured they will be held.

Secretary Daniels said today he had been thinking of the manoeuvres as a physical demonstration which might reassure those who he thinks underestimate the real value of the naval strength and defences of the metropolis.

Secretary Garrison while anxious to have the army engage in the proposed joint manoeuvres said today that lack of funds probably would prevent, he explained that it would cost several hundred thousand dollars to gather at New York the 20,000 men necessary to make anything like a creditable showing, and this money was not available.

The Philadelphia and Reading tug Lenate arrived on Wednesday.

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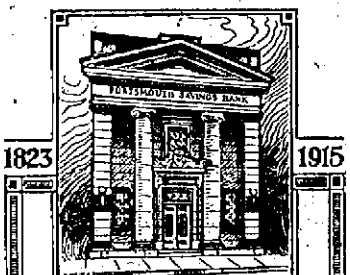
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KITTERY POINT

Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

The members of the K. P. G. P. Club entertained their husbands last evening at the home of Mrs. George Kimball. Mrs. T. B. Hoyt and Miss Ethel Frisbee were the hostesses. Charades and other games were enjoyed and a supper consisting of oyster stew, crackers, pickles, cake and coffee was served, to which all did full justice.

Master Horace Mitchell Jr., is ill with the mumps.

Willie Gammon is substituting on the ferry boat Albee Howard as fireman during the absence of Henry Moulton.

Charles Williams has resumed his duties at the navy yard after being laid up with blood poisoning in his hand.

Mrs. J. A. Phillips was a recent visitor out of town.

The W. C. T. U. was pleasantly entertained this afternoon by Mrs. J. C. Hoyt.

Miss Edith Seawards is confined to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morton Seawards by illness.

Captain T. Burton Hoyt was a business visitor in Alfred on Wednesday.

It is reported that Miss Ellen Frisbee who has been very ill with diphtheria is improving daily.

The Massachusetts Sewing Club was pleasantly entertained this afternoon by Mrs. George Gunnison.

Henry Moulton is able to sit up after being ill with the grippe.

Many from here attended the performance of "A Pair of Sixes" at the Portsmouth Theatre on Wednesday evening.

The Jolly Twelve Whist Club was pleasantly entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Fred Chase.

Miss Florence Perry has returned to her home in Medford, Mass. after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Patch.

Miss Ellen Blake is confined to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blake by illness.

Fred Hight and son of Boston have been passing a few days at their cottage at Sea Point.

Charles E. Phillips Jr., has returned to Boston after passing a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

Nelson Moulton of Portsmouth visited friends in town last evening.

Miss Bertha Moore pleasantly entertained fifteen of her young friends on Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being her eleventh birthday. Various games were enjoyed and refreshments of cocoa, cake, candy and fruit were served.

RYE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Alva R. H. Foss and daughters, the Misses Lena and Annette Foss went to Metrose over the week-end to attend the wedding of Mr. Lawrence H. Ruggles of Wakefield, Mass. The groom is a relative of the Foss family, and is well known in this town, Greenland, Newington and Portsmouth. The ceremony took place at home and was a very pretty wedding attended by the near relatives and the young friends of the contracting parties. The groom is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his classmates made the affair a merry success.

Mrs. Mary Fields and son Richard and Mrs. Burke of Exeter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Sanborn on Saturday.

Miss Alice Brown entertained the Crescent Club at her home at West Rye on Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles H. Sanborn and her daughter Miss Edna M. Sanborn and Mrs. Annie Green of Foss Beach road passed the holiday as the guests of relatives in Exeter.

Mrs. Alice Jeanness of Rye Beach is the guest of her sister of Foss Beach.

INNOCENT

There remains but one week more of the engagement of Pauline Frederick at the Shubert Theatre, whom A. H. Woods presents in the sensational success of the season "Innocent," the remarkable play that ran for six months at the Elling Theatre, New York. Miss Frederick comes to us with the same splendid supporting company that contributed to the enormous success scored by this remarkable play and Mr. Woods has sent also the original superb stage settings. Miss Frederick has long been recognized as one of the most beautiful women on the English speaking stage today and both superlative charm and great artistry are demanded in the little role of "Innocent," one of the most alluring of stage heroines who is described as being as beautiful as an orchid.

To lend one last artistic touch to this production Miss Frederick secured in Paris the very latest models of gowns completed before the war put an embargo on importations of fashions.

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In the supporting company Mr. Woods sends John Alterra, Julian W. E. George, George Probert, Kenneth Hunter, Hardee Kirkland, Frank Kemble Cooper and others.

Jess Willard Now Ready To Tackle Jack Johnson



Juarez, Mexico, Feb. 25—Jess Willard is now ready for his battle with Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world. The big Kansan has prepared faithfully for the mill and many who have witnessed his daily training stunts are of the opinion that he has a splendid chance to defeat the big negro. During his stay here Willard has picked up the finer points of boxing and those who attend the coming mill will see in Jess a much improved fighter. Lower photo shows Willard boxing with his partner. Upper one shows him skinning a calf.

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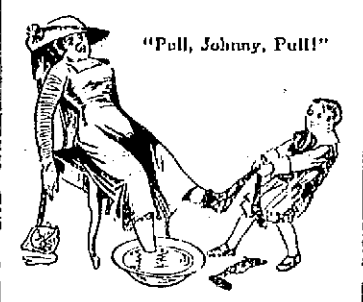
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gress today with Senators Stone, Simmons and Fletcher, and it was rumored at the White House that the President had not abandoned his hope that the ship, Philippine and Shields waterpower bills might be passed in the remaining seven days of the Congress.

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BIG MEET FOR RED MEN

Arrangements are being completed for a meeting of the Red Men of District 10, which comprises the tribes in Dover, Exeter, Portsmouth and Newmarket, in Dover on April 19. The arrangements are being made by District Deputy Great Sachem John W. Welch of that city, and no pains will be spared to make the event the biggest affair of the kind ever held in this district. Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of all the Great Chiefs of New Hampshire. The program will include work and a banquet, with post prandial exercises at the close.

Major Henry L. Haysman of Boston is among those favoring a bigger navy. And he believes in peace.

KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village Across the River.

The entire community was greatly saddened to hear of the passing away of Mrs. Florence B. Cook at her home at the Junction at 7:30 o'clock this morning. Most sincere sympathy is extended the members of the family in this their hour of sorrow.

Mrs. Cook was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George and Eliza (Bradley) Audge, and was born in Brookline, Mass., June 12, 1863. When she was 12 years old her parents moved to Portsmouth, where she lived many years, and was graduated from Portsmouth High School. In 1885 she married Mr. Daniel B. Cook of this town. Mrs. Cook was a remarkable woman and had a most pleasing personality, by which she drew many friends to her and all who knew her greatly loved her. Her entire life was a beautiful example for others to follow. She was a great religious worker, and has been connected with the Second Christian Church of Kittery for many years, being a former clerk of the church society, a former superintendent of the Sunday school, and a member of the Christian Endeavor. She was also a member of the Kittery Grange. Besides a husband she leaves an adopted daughter, Mrs. Annie Hall Colwell, to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Leon Schaff, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Shapleigh of Otis Avenue, returned to her home in Groveton, N. H., on Wednesday.

Mr. Raymond Hobbs of the Junction is visiting relatives in Worcester, Mass.

On Wednesday evening some twenty-two members of the Ladies Aid of the Second Methodist church gave Mrs. Ida Marshall a surprise party at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Edwin Paul of Stimpson street.

Mrs. Marshall has been the efficient secretary of the Aid for several years past, and in appreciation of her services tendered her the party, as she leaves Friday for a two months' visit with her brother in Chambersburg, Pa. A very enjoyable evening was passed socially, and refreshments of sherberts and fancy wafers were served. During the course of the evening, Mrs. Marshall was presented a fine black silk umbrella, and several other useful tokens by the members of the society. Regular meeting of York Rehoboth Lodge this evening. There will be an initiation of several candidates at this time and all members of the degree staff are urged to be present. It is also requested that all members of the lodge please bring fancy crackers.

Mrs. Louis R. Colburn is confined to her home on Friend street on account of illness.

Mrs. A. L. Milliken of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Samuel Scoll of Kennebecport were the guests of Mrs. Nellie Milliken of Government street on Wednesday.

The Domestic Science class will meet on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. U. G. Sweet, Love lane.

It will be pleasant news to her many friends in town to learn that Miss Elizabeth Peterson of South Portland has sufficiently recovered from her recent illness as to be able to be down stairs.

Mrs. Harry Trafton of Portsmouth was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ida Marshall of Stimpson street, on Wednesday evening.

Many Kittery people attended the performance of "A Pair of Sixes" at the Portsmouth Theatre last evening. A business meeting of the Baraca Club will be held in the vestry of the Second Christian church on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Packard of Maunon Avenue returned home from Haverhill, Mass., on Wednesday evening where they were called by the illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Packard. The latter while visiting friends in Newburyport on Monday fell down a flight of cellar stairs, receiving a severe shaking up. Also the ligaments of her chest and back were badly strained. Her condition is as comfortable as can be expected.

Mrs. Joseph Bridges of York was the recent guest of her niece, Mrs. J. Edwin Paul of Stimpson street.

Mr. William Wynn, chief boatswain's mate on the Navy Yard tug Pennacook, and wife have given up their residence on the yard, and have returned to their former residence in Kittery.

At the regular meeting of Kittery Grange on Friday evening, the third and fourth degrees will be worked. A supper will precede the work, being served promptly at 7 o'clock. All those solicited from are required to have their food at Grange hall at 6:30 o'clock at the latest. It is expected that a large delegation from Quamphagan Grange of South Berwick will be the guests of the local grange on this occasion.

Regular meeting of St. Aspidoch Tribe of Red Men this evening at Grange hall.

The Riverside Reading Club will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. George Trefethen of Whipple road.

Mr. Everett Pettigrew of North Kittery, is confined to the home of Mr. Fred Canney, Dennot street, Portsmouth, on account of illness.

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BOWLING

General Store League

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Team No. 5 defeated team No. 4 by a good margin. The scores:

| Team No. 5 | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|---------|
| Fernald | 100 | 83 | 111-294 |
| Ellen | 85 | 100 | 93-278 |
| Estes | 73 | 81 | 85-212 |
| 258 267 259 814 | | | |
| Team No. 4 | | | |
| Phillips | 81 | 93 | 80-257 |
| Williams | 64 | 81 | 102-250 |
| Chaney | 84 | 85 | 89-258 |
| 232 262 271 765 | | | |

Team No. 3 defeated team No. 6. The scores:

| Team No. 3 | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|--------|
| Paul | 80 | 91 | 28-278 |
| Hefferman | 91 | 87 | 71-252 |
| C. Blake | 85 | 71 | 71-230 |
| 268 252 210 730 | | | |
| Team No. 6 | | | |
| Dwyer | 82 | 92 | 79-253 |
| Fenwick | 86 | 83 | 98-267 |
| M. Blake | 79 | 73 | 84-236 |
| 217 248 261 726 | | | |

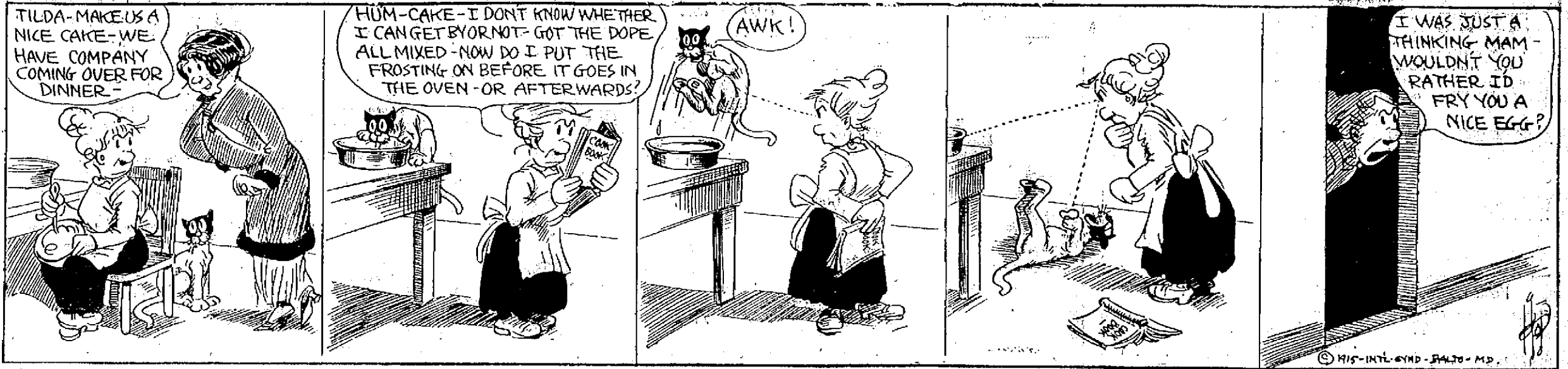
PRESIDENT WILSON CLINGS TO WRECK

Washington, Feb. 24—President Wilson is among those favoring a bigger navy. And he believes in peace.

SCOOP, THE CUB REPORTER

The Proof of the Cake is in the Eating

BY HOP



WATCHFUL WAITING ON MEXICO TO AN END

President will Not Bother Any More Or Send In Troops--European Countries May Take Charge After The War

Washington, Feb. 24.—"Watchful waiting" has ended, President Wilson is done with the Mexican tangle. Diplomats of the European powers most interested in Mexico have been informed that this administration has no intention of going into Mexico again under any circumstances. This statement of President Wilson's position was wholly informal, but is nevertheless understood to have been positive, it can create no breach between this government and those of Europe, for the reason that the latter have not presented any formal statements, and all discussions have been personal and unofficial. The increasing demoralization of the government in Mexico and the rapid growth of the menace to and actual destruction of foreign interests have served to strengthen the feeling among the governments of Europe that the United States should step in to Mexico and give that country the semblance of civilization law and order. Now that it is known that President Wilson has no intention of proceeding to do this and that he is determined not to be forced into intervention there is arising a feeling of bitterness against this government. It can be said positively that the European powers suffering most in Mexico now have the intention of taking hold of the question themselves as soon as the war in Europe is over. It is frankly hinted that after the European war ends the world will be shown whether the United States will clean house in Mexico or whether it

will stand by and see Europe do the task. The Mexican question has repeatedly been brought to the attention of the state department by British, French, Spanish and Russian ambassadors. The Dutch and Italian governments have likewise occasionally made informal representations, all of which may properly be regarded as gentle hints to the United States to do something. All have carefully refrained from asking anything of the United States beyond its good offices, but all have made it clear what they thought about the duty of the government in Mexico.

MASTER PLUMBERS ARE CONVICTED

Thirty-Six Men on Trial at Des Moines, Ia., Found Guilty of Breaking Sherman Law
Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 24.—Thirty-six master plumbers who have been on trial here since Feb. 10 on charges of violating the Sherman anti-trust law, were convicted by a jury in the Federal District Court today. Judge John T. Pollock will pass sentence later.

PORTSMOUTH MAN EXECUTOR

Manchester, Feb. 24.—Under the terms of the will of the late Charles L. Richardson, long paymaster of the Ameskeag Manufacturing Co., the following institutions will benefit: Manchester Institute of Arts and

Sciences, \$500. Berryfield club, the set of cut glass presented to Mr. Richardson on the occasion of his 50th anniversary in Manchester.

Unitarian association of Boston, Mass., the sum of \$10,000 to be known as the Charles L. Richardson bequest and to be used for the support and maintenance of the organization.

Elliot hospital of Manchester, \$5000, to be known as the Margaret Lowell Richardson bequest, for the benefit of the lying-in department.

Sacred Heart hospital of Manchester \$5000, to be known as the Charles L. Richardson fund, and to be used in establishing a free bed for the exclusive use of the employees of the Ameskeag Manufacturing company and the Stark Mills.

The will has already been proven in probate court, Atty. Harry B. Loven of this city and Charles A. Hazlett of Portsmouth being the executor and co-executor respectively.

As yet the estate has not been appraised but it is announced that there will be no division of the property until after the death of Mrs. Richardson.

SHED A LIGHTED LAMP DOWN STAIRS

The auto chemical was called at 11:30 Wednesday evening, to a house No. 56 High street, occupied by Mrs. Melinda Micott, where there had been a fire in the front hall, although it was extinguished before the flying squadron arrived.

Mrs. Micott keeps a boarding house and it appears that one of the boarders came home with a skin full of booze and while walking up stairs espied the lamp in the upper hall. He made a mental bet that he could hit the front door with the lamp and he won. He threw the lamp down the stairs, struck the door, exploded the lamp, set fire to the curtains and hall and there you are. The auto chemical was called, but a roomer dashed the fire out with a pitcher of water. The police took the betting boarder, marked him a drunk and there you are.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE

"A Midsummer Night's Dream" will be the offering of the Henry Jewett Players in the ninth week of their Shakespearean season at the Boston Opera House, beginning Monday, March first. This always delightful fantastic comedy will be given a particularly auspicious production so far as scenery, costumes, and lighting effects are concerned; and it has by now become almost unnecessary to dwell upon the excellence of the acting, as the company has become so widely known and its merit so generally recognized.

The production will serve to introduce another newcomer to the company, Miss Alice Moffat, wife of Max Montague. Miss Moffat, who will be the Puck, has had a varied experience in both opera and drama. She first appeared as Gretchen in Sir Herbert Tree's production of "Faust" and "Cretel" at His Majesty's theatre. Since then she has played leads with George Edwards, and with J. C. Williamson in Australia. During the past months she has been playing leads in various Shubert and Klaw and Erlanger productions in New York.

Miss Marshall, who made a most successful debut with the company as Katherine last week, will be the Helena; Miss Forbes will be the Hermia; and Miss Compton will be seen for Titania.

Mr. Crocker, whose Falstaff was so admirable an interpretation, will be the Bottom; Mr. Belp will be the Oberon; Mr. Willey the Lysander; Mr. Montecore, as Quince, will head the "comites," seconded by Mr. Madie his flute.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream" stands between the earlier group of Shakespeare's love-plays and "Romeo and Juliet," to which they are in a sense preparatory. It was probably written between 1593 and 1595; though no date can be assigned definitely.

\$100,000 FOR NEW SCHOOLS
Newburyport has appropriated \$100,000 for two new eight room primary school buildings.

BANK COMMISSIONER'S BILL PASSES THE HOUSE

Liquor Committee Makes Favorable Report On Repeal Of License Law

Concord, Feb. 24.—There was an interesting debate this morning in the house on the bill to establish a bank commission of three members and to abolish the office of state auditor. Rep. Duncanson of Jaffrey made a fight to retain the office of state auditor. He said the office was an important one in the state and that its abolition would save only about \$1200 in salaries; that the auditor accomplished very valuable work.

Rep. Lyford of Concord made a strong and able speech for the bill. He said a commission of three men was imperative at this time to properly safeguard the deposits of the people and to look after the interests of the savings banks. He said there was no politics in this bill but it was a pure business proposition. He further stated that the abolishing of the bank commission two years ago and the appointment of a single headed commission had resulted in the commissioner trusting to a run of luck in the examination of the larger strong banks when he could only give his attention to the weaker ones. He said that one auditor's office had been a farce; that when the present occupant went in he found the office in a demoralized condition; the former occupant spent but little time in his office and the long delay in getting out the auditor's report caused conflicting statements to be issued relative to the condition of affairs in the state of New Hampshire, which was neither right nor just; that this work belonged in the office of the state treasurer, and that the former state treasurer, Solon A. Carter, said the work could be done there much more effectively than under existing conditions. Mr. Lyford stated that it would effect a saving of about \$2500. This bill, Mr. Lyford further said, provides that the bank commissioner shall audit the accounts of the state treasurer and the board of control and such other departments of the state as the governor and council may designate, and that the additional work put upon the bank commissioners by the auditing of the state accounts would not be more than the establishment of two or three new banks.

Brennan's Democratic Air
Rep. Lyford was followed by Rep. Brennan of Peterborough, who objected to the bill. He said it was a political measure and a retaliation on the legislature of two years ago; that it was one of the series of bills and he submitted a long list of statistics showing that the Parker administration had turned out of office but a small number of Republicans, that it had not been a political administration, and he launched forth into a vigorous defense of that administration.

Couch's Chastisement
He was followed by Rep. Couch of Concord, who stated that he made a hard fight against the abolishment of

the bank commission two years ago, which was a political proposition and on iniquitous bill at that. He said that good business and the proper regulation of savings banks required a commission of three men; that this was not a political measure; that it was not necessary to run the steam roller at this time, but that as far as the steam roller proposition was concerned that it was a source of gratification to him to be a part and parcel of it in this present legislature and undo the things that were done two years ago.

Maurice Connor for the Voters
Then Rep. Maurice Connor of Manchester got into the arena and made a characteristic speech, in which he lauded the Republicans for the action they were taking and the responsibility they were assuming. He said that if the Democratic party two years ago had turned the Republicans out they would have been in much better shape than they are today. He said he was in favor of this kind of a proposition, because he believed it was good politics and that no party could exist without taking care of its own. He said that if Woodrow Wilson was beaten two years from now it would be on account of the fact that 35 per cent of the office holders in this country were still Republicans.

Rep. Duncanson then moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed and on a division vote 110 voted yes and 220 voted no and the bill was sent to the appropriation committee under the rules.

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and was graduated in 1869. In 1870 he received his promotion to ensign. Commander Briggs saw nearly 40 years of sea service and was regularly promoted. He was made a master in 1872. For two years he was assigned to various stations, and in 1874, after receiving his commission as lieutenant, returned to the academy as an instructor, remaining there four years. Later he returned again to the academy for a short term as instructor. He was promoted to be lieutenant commander in 1886. It was while serving as executive officer more under Capt. Dyer in the Battle of Manila Bay, that he earned further advancement for conspicuous conduct. He became commander and in 1904 was in charge of the Baltimore during the tour of the world of the North Atlantic fleet.

At Manila in 1905 he was acquitted by a court martial on the charge of having run the Baltimore ashore. In September, 1904, in Malacca Straits. Commander Briggs was retired Sept. 25, 1905. While traveling in 1907 he was reported to be suffering from a persecution mania in Paris and it was feared he would have to be confined. He recovered before his return to this country.

Commander Briggs is survived by a son, Dr. John B. Briggs Jr., of Washington, at whose home he died, and five sisters, Mrs. F. H. Plummer of Chelsea, Mrs. William Bonney of Plimpton, Mrs. T. E. Blakely of New Rochelle, N. Y., Mrs. E. F. Churchill, formerly of Chelsea, now a resident of Pennsylvania and Mrs. A. L. Plaxton of Wellesley.

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The Eleven O'Clock Whist club of Bolt Hill, Elliot, was entertained Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Robinson, five tables being in play. After two hours of play the favors were awarded to Mrs. Conrad Everson and Dr. H. I. Durgin. The consolation gift going to Mrs. George McKenney. Refreshments of assorted cake and cocoa were served, and the guests departed at a late hour.

The Board of Public Works will start on March 2, 1915, to destroy gypsey moth eggs and brown tail moth nests on private property where they are found to exist. All expense of same will be charged against the property and added to the taxes.

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ACT—
"It All Depends"—Lubin Comedy
They carry on a secret correspondence, although they have never met, so she appeals to the janitor for help. Very funny.

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The cattle owners have formed a lynching party and are in pursuit of a rustler who has been ravaging the country. Not—Broncho Billy is not the rustler! A very good picture.

ACT—
"Breakin' In"—Vitagraph Comedy

As a social lion, Wall Street ignores Jones. They try to make a lamb of him, but he makes goats of them. Lillian Walker and Ned Finley in the leads.

Change of Pictures Tomorrow
Watch for the second story in the "The Girl Detective" series next week. Also Charles Chaplin in a new two reel comedy, exclusively at this theatre.

L. O. O. F. NOTICE

The annual roll call of the members of Osgood Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 25, in I. O. O. F. hall. A full attendance is requested. Sojourning brothers are cordially invited to be present. A supper will be served. Members are requested to furnish cake.

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CONTRACT PLACED FOR DOVER POINT SUMMER HOTEL

Fred W. Poore to Construct Ideal Resort.

Fred W. Poore of Goffstown, who recently purchased the farm of James W. Gillis and several acres of land on the top of Huckleberry Hill on the Dover Point road has closed a contract with Representative J. Walter Twombly of Dover to construct a large summer hotel on the newly acquired property.

A crew of men have been at work and walks have been laid out through the grove.

Mr. Poore will lay out lawn tennis, croquet, and golf links as soon as the first is out of the ground in the spring. He will also lay out a fine baseball diamond.

As soon as Mr. Twombly completes the work of building the hotel, he will build several cottages on the river front of the Gillis farm for Mr. Poore who will let them in connection with the hotel.

Mr. Twombly who has taken the contract to build the hotel, will begin work on it about the first of next month. The work of hauling the lumber to the proposed site of the building has begun yesterday, B. J. York of Dover, having received the contract to furnish the lumber.

The hotel is to be 35 by 60 feet, two stories high with a veranda on each side and one end, ten feet wide. The basement of the building will be used for cooking purposes. The first floor will be converted into a dining room 80 by 35 feet and a reception and waiting room of the same size. Sleeping tents will be placed about the grounds for all who desire to sleep in them.

The hotel is to be built on the top of Huckleberry Hill at the junction of the Dover Point and Black road, which has one of the finest views in this section of the country. From the point where the hotel is to be erected there is a fine view of Cocheo and Piscataqua rivers, Little Bay and the mouth of Oyster river. The place also overlooks Mill, Greenacre, Newington and many other places. It is the desire of Mr. Poore to have the work on his buildings rushed as rapidly as possible as he desires to have it in suitable condition for opening to the public by the middle of June. Mr. Poore has had considerable experience in operating hotels on the same plan that he intends to do business here. He will make arrangements to cater to automobile parties and private dancing parties during the summer months. With the coming of Spring weather he will put on a large crew of men and push the work of grading.

Through an investigation of the truancy department of the school committee it was found that on Feb. 3, about 1471 children of school age were out of work. Out of this number 280 have returned to school. About 278 returned to school of their own accord, 308 were returned by the truancy department, the addresses of 165 are unknown, some 75 have moved and there are a few scattered cases where the children have not been returned for special reasons. This investigation followed reports of the police of the large number of children of school age found on the streets during the school hours.

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up the grounds. He has a fine place near the grove which can be converted into a baseball diamond at a small expense as the ground is level and of the right kind of soil. A drive for automobiles and teams will be laid out from the hotel to the river front. Bath houses will be erected before the bathing season opens.

BOSTON LETTER

Boston, Feb. 23.—We have made the fatal mistake in the past of failing to make the public into our confidence, declared Robert C. M. Cowie, vice-president of the American Express Co. in a talk on "The Express Service, a Commercial Necessity," at a banquet of the Commercial Club in Boston. "The express companies have never raised a protest against the Parcel Post. It is our belief though, that the framers of the legislation, making the service possible, never intended to make freight houses out of the United States post offices. We do contend against the increase of weight and the corresponding decrease in rates. This policy on the part of the Postmaster General who has supreme power in the matter, carried to a maximum would mean the utter ruin of all the express companies. We have been forced to cut our costs to the lowest possible point to meet the new conditions facing us and in order to continue to do business under the new rate schedule. We believe there is a place for the parcel post; that it can perform a service that the express companies never did and never can perform. We think that there is room for the parcel post, express and the freight."

The New England Belgian Relief Committee's second relief to sail from Boston is expected in port within a few days. It is the steamship Lynoria and London W. Bales of the New York Committee says the ship will reach Boston within a week. It was announced at a meeting of the Belgian Relief Committee that all arrangements were perfected for the appearance of Miss Vandervelde at Tremont Temple the evening of March 10. Mayor Curley will preside and there will be present representative women from various organizations in New England.

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Governor Walsh in discussing the hoof and mouth disease condition in this state said: "It was claimed that this disease was stamped out in Massachusetts by the former commissioner, but as a matter of fact it never was stamped out and exists today just as a smouldering fire will burst forth with renewed vigor." The governor said that it is his intention to see that this time the disease is stamped out and extinguished effectually in Massachusetts, even if he has to declare a state wide quarantine. The first idea he said was to quarantine only those localities within 15 miles of a farm or a town in which there has been an outbreak showing the presence of the disease, but this has not been found effectually.

Read the Want Ads.

WOMEN DEBATE RIGHT TO VOTE

Both Sides of the Equal Suffrage Question Presented to Legislative Committee.

Concord, Feb. 23.—Both sides of the suffrage question were presented to the house committee on revision of statutes, at a special hearing in Representatives' hall tonight. The committee gave each side an hour to present their arguments. Edwin Page legislative agent for the Equal Suffrage Association opened the case for the suffragists, then turned the handling of the speakers over to Mrs. Mary L. Wood of Portsmouth.

The speakers presented by Mrs. Wood included Senator James E. Woodbury of Woodstock, Mrs. Martin Kimball of Portsmouth, Mrs. Olive Rand Clark of Manchester, Mrs. Ben S. Webb of Lisbon, Mrs. Frederick T. Lord of Hanover, Mrs. Frank Knox of Manchester, Mrs. Woodworth, John P. Burke of Franklin and Rev. Willis J. Sanborn of Sanbornville.

Mrs. Althartus Dudley of Exeter, scored a sharp shot the first crack out of the box as she stepped forward to present the cause of the anti-suffragists.

"As we have no lobbyist," sweetly said Mrs. Dudley, bowing to Chairman Bartlett, "we are obliged to present ourselves." She then proceeded to demonstrate that she was able to do the presenting. She called on Mrs. George H. Warren of Manchester, Mrs. Lillian S. Streeter, Miss Elizabeth Parker and Mrs. Will B. Howe of Concord, Mrs. George J. Balcom of Nashua, who read a letter from Mrs. Herbert Pond of Keene, and others.

Some of the speakers in favor of equal suffrage were Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingstone of Bangor, Me.; Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Eva S. Blake, Mrs. Olive Rand Clark of Manchester.

Mrs. Dudley opened for the anti-suffragists, she could not promise any burst of oratory, but she hoped the committee would listen to them. She said that if the question is to be urged it should be offered as a referendum to the women, or at least to the men. There is a great deal heard of the primitive man, and that far away states have suffrage. She said the anti-suffragists reject the statement that these states are as intelligent as New Hampshire.

Mrs. George H. Warren, President of the Federated Women's Clubs of Manchester; Mrs. Frank W. Emerson of Hampton, and Mrs. James B. Jackson of Littleton also spoke for the anti-suffragists.

One speaker was corrected, when she remarked all but one, Mrs. Shepherd, of federation presidents had been suffragists. Mrs. Streeter rising to go on record as another president who does not favor the vote.

There will probably be a majority report against the bill, and a minority report for it.

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Fred Boullieu Arraigned in Dover Police Court.

Fred Boullieu was arraigned in police court Wednesday morning charged with highway robbery, it being alleged

in the complaint that he held up and robbed Lee Dahar, a peddler. He pleaded not guilty and was represented by Col. W. W. Scott. The attorney for the state was City Solicitor James B. Adams who put in a long string of witnesses in behalf of the state's case. The defense offered no evidence at this time and Boullieu was held without bail for the September term of superior court. Boullieu was arrested late yesterday afternoon by Inspectors Murphy and Officers Crowley and O'Neill who went to Dover Point in an automobile. As they were passing the house of Arthur King who lives near the Lucas' brick yards the inspector noticed a man at the window in some ways correspondent with the description of the man who assaulted Lee Dahar at noon and he started to investigate. When the officers arrived Boullieu attempted to make an escape, but did not have time. This morning at police court, Dahar identified Boullieu as the man who stabbed him with a knife and took his money away from him.

FEDERAL PROBE OF HORN CASE IS STARTED

Many Witnesses Summoned Before U. S. Grand Jury in Boston.

Boston, Feb. 23.—The attempt to destroy the international bridge by Vernon S. Horn who claims to be a German army officer, at Vaneboro, Me., early on the morning of Feb. 2, took on a legal aspect yesterday when the federal grand jury here started an inquiry.

United States District Attorney G. W. Anderson, summoned more than a score of witnesses and during the first day's investigation about a dozen were heard.

The jury, it is understood is investigating charges that dynamite used in blowing up the bridge was transported from New York to Maine by way of Massachusetts.

District Attorney Anderson declined to divulge the nature of the probe. Any information he stated would have to come from Washington because of the national importance attached to the case.

Prior to the convening of the grand jury Attorney Daniel T. O'Connell, counsel for Horn conferred with District Attorney Anderson and his first assistant Leon A. Rogers. Attorney O'Connell stated after the conference that he has been in the dark relative to the investigation and had conferred with the federal officers in hope of ascertaining the nature of the grand jury probe.

George W. Ross, Deputy Sheriff of Washington county, Me., the officer who placed Horn under arrest, and High Sheriff S. E. Woodman of Machias, Me., were among the witnesses.

Other persons who visited the district attorney's office included Carl Horn, a United States immigration official at Vaneboro, and Misses Jean and Margaret Hunter, Jeff Fletcher, and Fred Mills of that town. Besides these there were several railroad conductors, porters and brakemen, hotelmen and officials from New York and Maine.

The grand jury will be in session until late in the week.

KILLED BY TRAIN AT FRANKLIN

Herbert Burres Attempted to Board Moving Train.

Franklin, Feb. 24.—Herbert Burres of Newport was almost instantly killed at Franklin Junction this morning while attempting to board a moving train. His neck was broken and while there seemed to be a spark of life in him when taken from beneath the cars, he was dead when a physician reached him.

Mr. Burres was a farmer by occupation, 37 years of age, and unmarried. He had been visiting his brother George Burres, a special policeman of this city, and was on his way to Concord, when the fatal accident occurred. He had taken the Franklin and Tilton train for the Junction, and at the latter station he attempted to board the mail train for Concord. This train was moving and either Mr. Burres slipped on the step or failed to grasp the hand bar securely for he was seen to fall between the cars and went beneath the wheels. His right arm was terribly mangled and his neck was broken.

Mr. Burres was a native of Northfield, Vt. Besides the brother living in this city, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ara Sargent and Mrs. Grace both of whom live in Lakewood.

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MORE ARRESTS IN PASSPORT CASE

Two Germans Held in \$15,000 Bail Each; Sent to Jail in Default.

New York, Feb. 24.—Richard Peter Spiegler, a retired German sea captain, and a reservist in the German navy, was arrested here today by agents of the department of justice, on the charge of fraudulently obtaining an American passport. Vincent Cook, of Hoboken, N. J., was also taken into custody. The department of justice agents said they expected to make additional arrests immediately.

In the complaint, Spiegler is alleged to have obtained a passport under the new regulations adopted by the state department about Jan. 1, after the discovery of an alleged conspiracy to furnish German reservists with American passports. Six arrests were made at that time, and the defendants are now awaiting trial.

According to the complaint upon which Spiegler and Cook were taken into custody, the former used the name of Richard Madden said by the gov-

ernment agents to be a New York fence. The agents are looking for Madden. They claim that Spiegler made an application for a passport and signed Madden's name to it, that he took the oath of allegiance and that he furnished his own photograph to be placed upon the passport. Immediately after their arrest, Spiegler and Cook were arraigned before United States Commissioner Houghton and held in \$15,000 bail each for a further examination. In default of bail they were sent to the Tombs.

SENATOR COLE INTRODUCED BILLS

Two Important Measures Presented to Maine Senate.

On Wednesday, Senator Aaron B. Cole of Kittery, introduced into the Maine legislature an act amending the revised statutes so that the maximum fine for counterfeiting money or securities shall be \$1,000, instead of \$500.

Senator Cole also introduced an act striking out the provision that fines imposed upon persons injured in fruit gardens shall be paid by the overseers of the poor in the town where the conviction is had. This amends Sec. 16 of Chapter 123 of the revised statutes.

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Three Vessels Sunk In Twenty-four Hours--Russians Holding The Germans Who Have Also Lost Heavily--English Fleet Expected To Strike Soon

London, Feb. 24.—Within a few miles of the British coast, German submarines have torpedoed three vessels within the last 24 hours. It was officially admitted this afternoon that the British steamer Oakby was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the English channel a few miles off Folkestone.

The Oakby survivors were landed at Ramsgate, northeast of Dover. They said the submarine shot a torpedo against the port side of the vessel. The boat was lowered at once before the crew left, the Oakby's deck was awash. Ten minutes after the crew got away, the survivors said, she plunged beneath the waves.

Rocked Boat Four Miles Away

A fishing boat rescued part of the crew. According to the crew of the fishing boat, she was four miles from the Oakby when the torpedo struck, and the explosion was so severe that the fishing craft was herself rocked. A second fishing vessel picked up the remainder of the crew and landed them at Dover. This led to the report that two vessels had been sunk off Folkestone, but the admiralty was certain this afternoon that the original report of the sinking of two steamers was an error.

The submarine that sent the Oakby to the bottom is believed to have been the same one that attacked the British collier Branksome Chine and the Norwegian steamer Regia, in the same waters, yesterday. Word of the sinking of the Oakby was brought to London while the cabinet was gathering to determine finally what policy is to be adopted to meet the new form of German attack. It created a profound impression here, though shipping circles were somewhat soothed by the report from Paris that one of the German submarines operating in the channel had been sunk by a French destroyer.

The submarine referred to was the one that attacked the packet Victoria yesterday. The commander of the French destroyer wired to Paris today that he was positive a shot from one of his guns sent the submarine to the bottom.

The Berlin papers today print reports from a number of Dutch sources, indicating that more ships each day are abandoning the English trade because of the danger from German submarines and mine fields. Some of the morning papers today laid great stress on the report that the captain of the American steamer Evelyn was directed into the mine field off Borkum island by a British naval boarding officer. They declared the British officer acted in the belief that the sinking of the vessel by a German mine would arouse the United States. The Morningpost headlined the report "An English Scoundrelism."

Berlin, by wireless to London, Feb. 24.—Reports are heard in influential circles here that further obstacles have arisen to prevent the invasion of Russia. The feeding of the population in the part of East Prussia which had been occupied by the Russians is proceeding with difficulty.

The official report on the progress of the war given out in Berlin today says the Russians succeeded in crossing the Dnieper river in northern Poland, in two places, but were driven back. Fresh Russian regiments coming to the support of the armies have been defeated in their attempts to take the offensive, according to the official dispatches.

Near Przyszysz, a Russian division made an onslaught upon the German positions. Their object was to break through the line held by the Germans

east of Przyszysz and thereby prevent the Kaiser's troops from concentrating for the drive southward upon Novo-Georgievsk. The assault broke under German machine gun fire. Twelve hundred Russians were made prisoners and two cannon captured.

Advance of another Russian division westward from Grodno, reported in yesterday's official dispatches, has been checked southeast of Augustow. A Russian night attack east of Skiernewice was easily repulsed. Declared Germans Lost 50,000 on Rawa River

Paris, Feb. 24.—At least 50,000 men were lost by the Germans in their attack on the Russian positions on the Rawa river and in the regions of Borkow and Gumbinnen, according to Ludovic Naudeau, the Journal's correspondent, who witnessed the operations. He considers the general situation highly favorable to the Russians and says:

"The Germans are being gradually, but implacably, worn down. Whether they attack or merely defend themselves their armies melt away from day to day. Their feverish activity and their frightful sacrifices of lives show they realize they are fighting against time."

Russian Corps Stood Off Attacks on Four Fronts

Petrograd, Feb. 24.—The desperate resistance offered by the 26th corps of the Russian army to the advance of the Germans in East Prussia after it had been cut off from the 10th army is described in an official communication.

The report is based upon information received from "various individuals belonging to this corps who managed to escape." The Russians claim that although these troops were surrounded by a German army in the territory between Goldap and Suwalki, they inflicted heavy losses upon their antagonists. They repelled attacks on four fronts "until their strength was completely exhausted." The communication follows:

"The communication of Feb. 21, which described the unusually difficult position of parts of our army corps during the retreat in East Prussia, applied to portions of the 20th corps commanded by Lieut. Gen. Bulgakoff, comprising the 12th division and three reserve regiments. Communication between this corps and the 10th army was broken February 13, and the corps found itself surrounded in the country between Goldap and Suwalki by a German army which constantly increased in numbers.

Fought Heroically Nine Days
"This corps fought heroically until Feb. 22 against an enemy which outnumbered it several times. During these days the troops marched about 92 miles, continuing to force a passage for themselves toward the southern part of the forest of Augustowa.

"According to accounts given by prisoners, our corps inflicted heavy losses upon the Germans who attempted to bar the way, particularly in the lake region and the forest near Gnina. "Reports just given by various individuals belonging to this corps who managed to escape show the corps was ready to fight until its strength was completely exhausted, gallantly repelling attacks on four fronts, retaining its artillery and taking with it many German prisoners.

"Severe fighting continues on the right banks of the Hober and Narow rivers. German detachments which took the offensive near Ossowetz Feb. 21 were forced back by the fire of our

artillery. Fighting has been in progress north of Lomza on the roads to Radzlowo, Arichoutchina and Kolno. In spite of attacks by strong forces we hold Jedwabne.

"A German attack along the Szczecyn-Kolno road was supported during the night of Feb. 22 by armored automobiles and was unusually intense.

"The German offensive continues in the Przyszysz district. Three attacks upon Przyszysz were repulsed, our armored automobiles assisting greatly in this respect. Their fire devastated the Germans at a distance of 75 paces. On the road to Plonsk some villages changed hands several times.

Mine German Trenches

"South of the Mogheliy gun on the left bank of the Vistula we exploded mines under a German trench, occupying the dugouts in the remainder of the German trenches. We captured three machine guns, trench mortars and bombs and also took a number of prisoners. The losses to the Germans caused by the mine explosions numbered 500.

"In the Carpathians the Austrians bombarded a convent south of Mezola Gorez with 12-inch mortars. We repulsed persistent Austrian attacks in the region of Mikov, Smolnika and Wiszowica and inflicted enormous losses upon the enemy in the region of Mito Kozlowka.

"Austrian troops have taken the places of the Germans south of Bolla. Obsolete fighting has begun at Stanislaw against great forces of the enemy.

"Between Jan. 21 and Feb. 20 our army in the Carpathians captured 691 officers, 47,610 men, 17 cannon and 118 mitrailleuses."

London, Feb. 24.—Drastic reprisals against Germany will follow her newest submarine raids in the English channel. The British cabinet met today. Before nightfall the government was expected to make public details of a concerted plan of attack agreed upon by the allies to force abandonment of the warfare against British merchantmen.

"That an embargo will be laid against all food shipments to Germany was the report before the cabinet assembled. In addition to a determined effort to cut off the Kaiser's food supply, it was hinted that a more aggressive campaign would be launched. Incidents transpiring around the admiralty offices today lent color to the report that the British navy is about to embark upon an important movement.

German submarines have torpedoed at least two steamers in the English channel within the last 24 hours. The Germans have attempted to sink the passenger carrying packet Victoria, en route from Bournemouth to Folkestone. Ninety-two civilians narrowly escaped death when a German torpedo passed just 30 yards off the Victoria's bow. Another large steamer, identity unknown, was today reported in distress off Hastings, her decks awash. Dispatches from coast towns today said she evidently had been torpedoed or had struck a mine.

That Norway intends to lodge an emphatic protest to Germany, following the torpedoing of the Norwegian steamer Regia, yesterday was made known today. The Norwegian government directed its minister here to proceed at once to Berlin and examine members of the crew of the Regia.

The British government today ridiculed the report from Berlin that a British transport, heavily laden with troops en route to the French battlefields, was sunk by a German submarine in the channel. The press bureau gave out a short statement saying the report was evidently referred to the torpedoing of the British collier Branksome Chine, off Beachy Head, yesterday afternoon.

Messages early today from New Haven and Hastings said that efforts were being made to tow the Branksome Chine to port to save her cargo.

The new admiralty orders, restricting navigation in the North sea and Irish sea because of the activities of the German raiders, went into effect today. Admiralty officials pointed out that limitation of the area of navigation makes it much easier for merchantmen to be protected against submarine attacks.

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GERMANY WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR AMERICAN SHIPS

Washington, Feb. 24.—Supervision by the United States of the distribution of American foodstuffs shipped into Germany is the basis of the Washington government's latest proposal for an agreement on the war zone situation.

This information came from the highest authority here today.

Stirred by the report of the American steamship Carib's destruction by a war zone mine, the administration was leading every effort to hurry acceptance of the agreement and prevent further disasters to American shipping.

The food supervision idea was originally advanced by the German government in its first correspondence with the United States on the war zone. It is proposed that the United States have its consuls inspect food distribution, certifying that the consignments go to civilians alone, and that they are not ultimately destined for military purposes. One of yesterday's notes, it is understood, tells Germany such a plan is being considered here, while the other informs Great Britain that we will enter into such an agreement if it is acceptable to her.

Germany Defines Routes
The German embassy here today issued a statement giving the course which vessels bound for German ports should pursue in order to be perfectly safe. The statement follows:

"In connection with the deplorable loss of the Evelyn, all circles interested in shipping to the North sea and the nearby waters are again advised to follow the German admiralty's instructions:—"Merchant vessels bound for the Elbe, Rhine, Weser and Jade rivers must first make Lister deep buoy; those bound for the Ems should make directly for its mouth. Passage is compulsory from Lister deep buoy. Vessels are permitted to make the German coast and to enter or leave the mouth of rivers between sunrise and sunset and in clear weather. Approximate position of Lister deep buoy: N. lat. 55 deg. 3 min. 56 sec.; E. lon. 8 deg. 17 min. 39 sec."

"Shipping north of the Shetland Islands, in the eastern area of the North sea and in a strip of at least 30 sea miles in width along the Netherlands coast, is not permitted."

Although outwardly calm, government officials secretly admitted today grave apprehension over developments in German warfare against the English ally—hunger. With the mining of another American liner, the Carib, the situation assumed seriousness that

heretofore, and officials bent their efforts to obtaining exemption for American commerce carriers.

While the Carib disaster was classed in some quarters with the so-called "tragic accident" to the Evelyn, it became known that this government had directed to England and Germany informal inquiries, seeking freedom for United States ships through foreign waters, and trying to obtain an understanding on foodstuffs shipments to Germany's civilian population.

On the latter point rested the determination of the whole problem; authorities believed that if this problem could be settled no further danger would exist. Germany, it was pointed out, has agreed to relent in her submarine warfare if food is allowed to go to her civilians.

It was hinted, too, that indirectly and informally the government had reiterated its position to Germany that for the torpedoing of any American vessels in the war zone Germany will be held strictly responsible. Meantime the administration pursued its investigation into the destruction of the Evelyn and Carib. A report was expected today from Commander Gherard, naval attaché at Berlin, on the Evelyn case, but was not expected to be more than a German disclaimer of responsibility, with the explanation that the Evelyn had deviated from the prescribed steamer path.

If this can be proven, it was conceded that this government will have little recourse. A similar claim, it was anticipated, would be made in the Carib case. In both instances, the government war risk bureau is involved, though civil action may reimburse it. The Carib is the government war insurance bureau's second loss. The cargo was insured for \$235,000; the hull for \$22,253. The Evelyn and Carib mean \$58,253 loss to the bureau, or more than the accrued premiums received.

Neutral envoys today were vastly interested in developments and a number called at the state department for the latest official information. It was said that their recent visits had nothing to do with proposals for joint action in the foreign situation.

Some officials, opposed to replies or further negotiations with either Germany or England, suggested today that while the tone of the informal inquiries showed no weakening, the mere fact of making such negotiations might indicate to the foreign governments that this nation is inclined to try conciliation, rather than to stand put on its original strict accountability warning.

Food Query Department
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Send your questions to Food Editor and you will receive a reply by mail or through this column.

STEAK, EGGS AND CHEESE

What is the comparative food value of beef steak, eggs and cheese? I would thank you very much for this information.
Mrs. L. B. C.
Beef steak has a fuel value of about 1,650 calories per pound, eggs about 635 calories per pound, and whole cream cheese 1,385 calories per pound. Cheese is a food very high in protein and fat. In the above figures ease of digestion by different individuals is not taken into account.

ABOUT CATSUP

Please tell me if it is true that much of the catsup is made from apple cores and parings? Also does it contain coloring matter?
E. F.
We do not believe that it is true that the bulk of catsup on the market is made of the ingredients you mention. It is true, however, that some of the cheaper grades of an inferior quality consist of apple stock which is composed of the pressing of various kinds of apple debris. We know of no catsup on the market today that is artificially colored.

DANGEROUS PRESERVING COMPOUND.

I am sending you a sample of a preserving compound. I want you to tell me if it is at all injurious. It is used very extensively in canning and keeps all canned goods sweet, but I want to know if it is a safe preservative to use.
Mrs. J. J.
In reply to your inquiry I beg to advise that the compound you submit consists largely of salicylic acid and should under no circumstances be used by the housewife for canning and preserving. Its use is entirely unnecessary and unwarranted for perfect results may be secured by proper sterilization.

BUTTER AND BUTTERINE

In regard to your endorsement of oleomargarine is it possible that we get the same nourishment from these products that we do from butter?
Mrs. J. E. W.
It is true that we get exactly the same food value in butterine or oleomargarine that we do in butter. The higher price of the latter is due to cost of production, since butter cannot be produced at nearly so low a cost as oleomargarine, especially if it is made with the care necessary to the production of first-class butter. Possibly, too, we pay for flavor, inasmuch as in the higher class butters there is a certain distinctive flavor which enhances its value. As a matter of fact very few people can distinguish between high-grade butter and high-grade butterine by the sense of smell and taste alone.

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Mrs. C. T.
In reply to your query we do not understand what brand you are now using. Of this we are sure, however, that the macaroni you refer to is of high grade and an excellent product. The length of time which a person cooks macaroni has something to do with the "swelling." Macaroni cooked 35 minutes will be larger in diameter than macaroni cooked only 20 minutes. Inquire about runs you down under you an easy victim for disease. Be sure about and avoid infection. Be sure about runs you down under you an easy victim for disease. Be sure about and avoid infection.

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THIRTY-TWO LEGISLATURES ARE CONSIDERING TUBERCULOSIS LAWS

Many Bills On Prevention of Disease Being Discussed

Bills dealing with tuberculosis are now being considered in 32 state legislatures, according to an announcement made today by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

In 28 states, Alabama, Arizona, California, Iowa, Tennessee, and Washington bills are being considered which call for the reporting and registration of all living cases of tuberculosis. Alabama, Connecticut, Iowa, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia are working for laws which will require that consumptives who refuse to observe sanitary regulations and are a menace to others, may be removed and detained in hospitals. In Alabama, Arizona, California, Illinois, Maine and Missouri legislation permitting the establishment of county or local hospitals for tuberculosis are being discussed, and in California, Illinois, Iowa, Maine, Missouri and New Hampshire state subsidies of \$3 to \$5 per week per patient are being asked for such institutions.

A more or less complete reorganization of the state health work is sought in several states, especially Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, Texas, and Arkansas. In Indiana and Alabama bills providing for full time county and city health officers are being considered. As an aid in furthering these and similar bills, the National Association has issued a pamphlet entitled "Tuberculosis Legislation," which contains a digest of existing laws in this field with comments and comparisons of some of the most important ones.

Mrs. Mary J. Wood and Miss Martha S. Kimball passed Wednesday in Concord, where they appeared before the legislative committee hearing on the suffrage bill.

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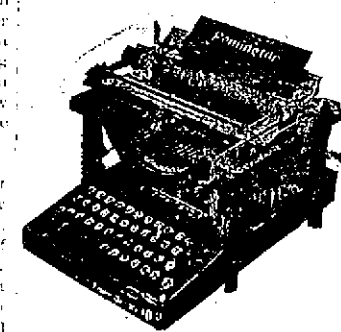
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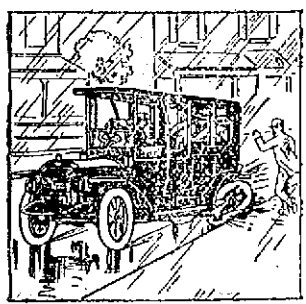
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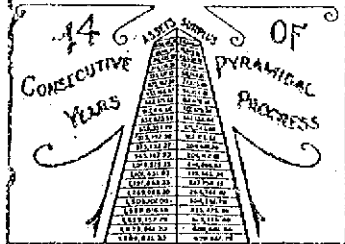
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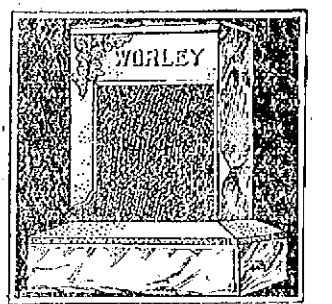
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Arthur Greenwood Again in Trouble in Biddeford Courts.

Biddeford, Me., Feb. 23.—Arthur Greenwood who has just completed 8 months in the county jail for violating the liquor law, pleaded not guilty in the police court today on a search and seizure charge. He was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs. He appealed and furnished bonds.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE NOTES

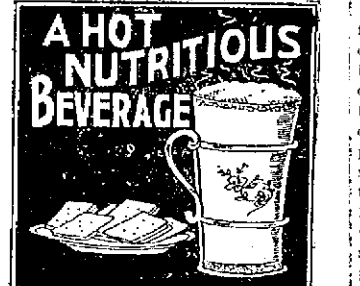
New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., Feb. 24.—In reply to the request of the Children's Commission that feeble-mindedness among children be found in this state more in the rural communities than in the cities Professor D. R. Groves, of the department of psychology and sociology, declares that what is needed to meet this situation is a statewide psychological clinic. This clinic would be a board of experts who would visit every town in New Hampshire, discover those children who are really feeble-minded, point out the means of cure to the parents of the children for whom there is hope, and designate the incurable for strict segregation in some institution where they may be given proper care.

The Children's Commission has only verified for New Hampshire what experts believe to be the case all over the world, namely, that the proportion of feeble-minded is greater in rural districts than in the cities. In the case of New Hampshire this investigation has established the fact that the most populous county has the smallest proportion of feeble-minded, and that the county most sparsely settled has the greatest proportion and that all over the state feeble-mindedness increases as population decreases. The plight of these country children Professor Groves thinks is the more pathetic in that necessarily they can have the least expert attention where they are most numerous and perhaps can never have proper care unless the state, rather than the towns, takes up this task and employs experts.

That this state or any community is seriously menaced by feeble-mindedness or amenia, as the psychologists call it, Professor Groves feels strongly in an article just published in "The Psychological Clinic" Philadelphia, he declares.

"A very aggressive attack upon the problem of amenia in the country is certain to provide unexpected social relief along other lines. It is impossible to know how much the problem of the use of alcoholic drinks in the country is related to the problem of feeble-mindedness. When one has seen how strong the craving for intoxicants is among some country people without the suggestions and constant temptations provided by the saloon industry in the cities, it is clear that much may be expected of any successful attack upon rural amenia in debasing alcoholism.

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The student body was addressed in chapel Wednesday by the Rev. Ashley D. Leavitt, pastor of the Portland Congregational church of Portland, Maine.

Mr. Leavitt took as his subject "A Man's Responsibility to his College," and brought out in a most forceful and convincing manner the fact that each man had a problem of definite responsibility to face, and that he should accept it in a manly way by acknowledging his allegiance to the great fixed points of truth which have guided a multitude before him. This idea of obligation to ideals, Mr. Leavitt said, would aid a man in overcoming his innate aversion to anything which savored of dependence upon others. Philip Dolan in "The Man Without a Country" was used as an example of how intolerable a man's life might become even when he was freed from all responsibility to others.

ANDREAS DIPPEL OPERA CO., IN "THE LILAC DOMINO," AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE, BOSTON

A musical and social event of the first magnitude, is the current limited engagement at the Majestic Theatre in Boston, of the Andreas Dippel Opera Company composed of many of the foremost grand and light opera singers of this country, in an elaborate production of "The Lilac Domino," the famous opera by Charles Cavallier and the English adaptation and lyrics by Harry B. Smith and Robert B. Smith which has been acknowledged and recognized as a light opera masterpiece.

The Andreas Dippel Opera Company was brought into existence in order to revive the glories of opera comique and restore to the American stage a style of entertainment, which in these days of song and dance, had almost disappeared from view. The plan contemplated a company of artists who should gradually develop a repertoire of new light operas, and was planned on the same scale which has made the Opera Comique, of Paris, an internationally famous institution.

Grand opera and celebrated artists were engaged for the first American production of the fascinating opera of "The Lilac Domino," which, together with a gorgeous scenic investiture, and picturesque costuming, was produced at the 44th Street Theatre in New York with phenomenal results.

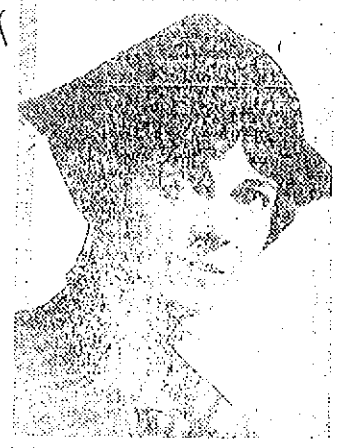
The remarkable cast of grand and light opera singers include: Eleanor Padden, Wilfrid Douthett, Rene Delving, Jeanne Manabour, Ethel Pettit, George Curzon, James Harold John E. Hazard, Robert O'Connor, Harry Heren, Anita Andrews, Marie Hamilton, Charlotte DeMott, Lyn Donaldson, Gertrude Grosberg, Jane E. Miller, Julia Smith, Leicester Parker, Maxwell Oliver, together with a symphony orchestra, of thirty pieces and a chorus of fifty voices.

This presentation of "The Lilac Domino" is unquestionably the greatest production of all light opera and it is safe to say that never again will the music-loving public have an opportunity

of hearing such a remarkable production at less than grand opera prices. There will be no advance in prices for that matter unless will receive prompt and careful attention. Orchestra \$2.00, first balcony \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, second balcony 50c. The usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given throughout the engagement.

"THE MIRACLE MAN" SAID TO BE A POWERFUL HUMAN DOCUMENT

In his masterful dramatization of "The Miracle Man" Geo. M. Cohan has written a play that no one can afford to miss seeing. It is a tremendously human document. It teaches a great lesson and yet is as entertaining as an offering as Mr. Cohan has ever provided. There is no preaching, no sermonizing, no attempt to turn the theatre into a pulpit, or a lecture platform. The quiet comedy, given satire and brilliant wit, gives the play that peculiar Cohanesque quality of human that invariably stamps all of Mr. Cohan's works. That cleverly interwoven with the laugh-provoking episodes, there are



Gladys Alexandria with the Miracle Man at Portsmouth Theatre Mar. 5

many startlingly dramatic moments, that sound the great big human note, that rings as clear as a bell, awakening within one's heart of hearts an echoing response that will never be forgotten. The play is based upon Frank L. Packard's masterful novel of the same name. Almost every reader of the magazines are familiar with Mr. Packard's book. Whether you have read the story or not, Mr. Cohan's play will interest, entertain, enlighten and amuse. It holds the auditor in a compelling grasp from start to finish. Its appeal is universal to mankind. One has but to be reminded of the immense interest aroused by "The Servant of the House," "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" and other kindred plays to realize that "The Miracle Man" has scored an equally pronounced success, though entirely different in construction. It is none the less reverent in treatment of the main theme though it has a humorous background that makes it amusing and entertaining aside from the momentous message which it conveys. "The Miracle Man" comes to the Portsmouth Theatre, Friday, March 5.

London, Feb. 21.—A statue of Florence Nightingale, the pioneer of army nurses, was unveiled here today. It is the first instance in which a statue of a woman, aside from royalty, has been erected publicly in London. On account of this there were no ceremonies in connection with the unveiling. The figure bears a lamp in the right hand. It forms a part of the Crimean memorial group in Waterloo place, the cost of which was provided by small subscriptions. Largely from nurses, soldiers and sailors.

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A PAIR OF SIXES A BIG ATTRACTION

"A Pair of Sixes" a farce in three acts, with a laugh every minute, was the attraction at the Portsmouth Theatre, which gave the greatest of satisfaction to a large audience.

The comedy has been making a hit in Boston, and is still on a long run there, but is doubtful if the company is any clever than the one that presented the farce so ably here on Wednesday evening. The press agent said that the company was picked to take the comedy to London in September last, but owing to the war, the trip was cancelled, and we can only add, what was London's loss was Portsmouth's gain, for the artists which were in the cast of the company here, are capable of taking the show anywhere and give satisfaction.

The comedy is something new, and the situations are original, and give a good chance for some clever work. It was very funny, and it kept the audience in a roar from the time the curtain rose until the final act.

Thomas Walsh as George B. Nettleton, and Paul Nicholson as T. Boggs Johns were the leads as business partners, who play a game of poker to decide a business dispute. Both are good comedians, along entirely different lines, and they had rattling good support from the remainder of the company. The cast:

George B. Nettleton, Thomas Walsh, T. Boggs Johns, Paul Nicholson, Business Partners
Katherine Cromwell, their bookkeeper
Bryce Kennedy, their stenographer
Miss Sally Parker, their lawyer
Thomas J. Vanderholt, their lawyer
M. J. Briggs, their salesman
Tony Toler, their salesman
Argyll Campbell, Shipping Clerk
Meyer Benson, Shipping Clerk
William Duncan, Shipping Clerk
Mrs. George B. Nettleton
Edna Brothers, Kate Guyon, English servant
Miss Norton

HEARING ON CHARTER FRIDAY EVENING

Local Delegation to Legislature Want Opinions on New Bill.

There will be a hearing before the local delegation to the legislature at city hall at 7.30 Friday evening on the bill to amend the city charter. This bill has been already changed materially by the delegation and it is expected that as a result of the hearing still further changes will be made or the bill voted inexpedient.

NETTIE NOGES

Nettie Noges who is appearing in Miss Films, the new brand of one reel comedies which have made a sensational debut at the Portsmouth Theatre in this city, was one of the most famous actresses in Russia. The first play in which Miss Noges appeared was "Dusen's Pillars of Society." She was not quite 15 at that time and played the part of Olga, a little boy.

In her second season with that company, Miss Noges was promoted to more important parts in such plays as "Eugene O'Neill's 'Anna Christie' and 'Pines of St. John' and Strindberg's 'Father.' In the 'Pines of St. John,' Miss Noges scored her first great hit which resulted in her being chosen as the leading woman for the Theatre Lathrop, where she immediately starred in the 'Pillars of Society.'

Since that time she has starred in many important parts in Russian and Scandinavian plays. At the end of her third season at the Lathrop, Miss Noges was engaged by the Traganow Film Company of Petrograd, to appear in motion pictures in Paris in which she had achieved such great success. Miss Noges remained with the Traganow Company for three years after which she came to America.

Miss Noges is youthful and pretty with all of her mature experience, and is an exceptional mistress of the pantomime skill which so frequently distinguishes the European performer.

NOT A PUPIL OF DRYDEN

Bill Dryden, the well known wrestler, states that Morrill, who referred the match on Tuesday evening, was not a pupil of his, and he was the only man who understood wrestling who was available.

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Mr. C. E. Hodgdon of Woodbury avenue has cut 1400 tons of ice this season.

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The annual cat license bill was rejected in the Massachusetts House.

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Shades sharpened, scissors, knives and all tools sharpened; saws filed, umbrellas mended, keys made, locks repaired, and razors honed and re-sharpened at Horne's, 32 Daniel street.

THEY ARE WAITING

New Hampshire friends of Harry K. Thaw are holding themselves in readiness to go to New York next week in the hope that the question of sanity in the Thaw trial will be made from the Thaw family making his escape from the Thaw family.

ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

John C. Stewart of York was elected vice president for York county, at a meeting and banquet of the American Revolutionary Society held at Washington on Monday last.

NOTICE

On hand after Wednesday, Feb. 25, notice of the annual meeting of the Thaw family, which has run as far as the Thaw family, will run to the Thaw family when there are passengers.

ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. B. Potter of Islington street is passing the day in Boston.

Mr. John C. Shaw is confined to his home on Lovell street with a severe cold.

Mr. C. E. Hodgdon returned last evening from Tilton, this state, where he attended the Grand Encampment of the I. O. O. F.

Mr. P. Percy Hooker, State Engineer and head of the State Highway Department who speaks at the Warwick Club tonight will be entertained by Mr. George A. Wood at his residence on South street during his stay in this city.

HELD EXERCISES FOR GREAT MEN

Storer Relief Corps Honor Memory of Washington and Lincoln.

The regular meeting of Storer Relief Corps No. 6 was held on Wednesday evening with a goodly attendance. One application was read and enacted upon.

Interesting exercises commemorating to George Washington and Abraham Lincoln were held under the auspices of the patriotic instructor of the Corps, Mrs. Minnie J. Whitler. A picture of those two great Americans, Washington and Lincoln, united, draped with a silk American flag, hung directly behind the President's chair. Very interesting remarks were made by the following honorary members, Major David Urich, Chaplain Deolittle and Comrade Burnham.

A quilting bee will be held on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 10th, to be followed by the meeting in the evening.

SHOW SOME SPEED.

Portsmouth Boys Win in Contest at Manchester.

The office force of the Portsmouth Brewing Company, champions of the Portsmouth Brewing Company's bowling league, celebrated their victory by a trip to Manchester, Washington's Birthday, as the guests of the treasurer and General Manager, William B. Harrington. Naturally, during the day they were given a chance to show just how they won the honors, and contest on "Knopp's" alleys with a team from the P. Harrington Sons establishment.

The Manchester boys gave them quite an argument but the old Strawberry Bank champions pulled away to the finish and won by over a hundred pins, making a total of 1489.

After the match they were escorted to the Wee Tapple Tavern, where a banquet was served by Landford Prescott, after which they were taken in autos around the city and shown places of interest.

The guests were George W. Pollard, Resident Manager; P. B. McCarthy, captain; George B. Leary, Louis H. Vetter, Clinton J. Trueman, Fred H. Marden, and John Marshall, scorer.

No more brushes on the speedway this year.

ANDERSON IS HELD ON TWO CHARGES

Forger Tells the Court He Is Glad That He Was Arrested--Police Will Look Up His Record.

Charles A. Anderson who claims Boston as his home was before Judge Torrey in the municipal court this forenoon charged with forgery in passing two bogus checks on C. P. Carroll and A. O. Benfield on Wednesday. Anderson pleaded guilty to two charges. He told the court that he was born in Virginia and had worked as a clerk, and had been to sea. He had the same old story about being down and out and said that he was glad that the police got him as he

would have likely kept at the game and increased his offenses against the law. He was ordered to furnish bonds in the sum of \$500 for each case for his appearance before the superior court in April. He failed to get bail and was sent to the county jail.

The police are satisfied that Anderson is a man with some record. He will be photographed and the local police will attempt to learn more about him while he is awaiting trial in the local jail.

stop at New York and Charleston en route to Key West.

On a Furlough

Private Martin Whitlock of the barracks guard is on a furlough of fifteen days in New York City and Passaic, N. Y.

Sixteen From League Island Sixteen prisoners from Philadelphia came for the Southern on Wednesday.

Sixty in Hospital

There are sixty patients at the naval hospital at the present time. Five patients from the Southern entered the hospital for treatment today.

Mechanics Wanted

A number of experienced boatbuilders and blockmakers are wanted in the Industrial Department.

Winslow Floats

The torpedo boat destroyer was launched at the Cramp ship yards recently. Miss Natalie Belmie Winslow, daughter of Rear Admiral Cameron Alft. Winslow, Newport, R. I., was sponsor for the vessel. The destroyer was named in honor of Rear Admiral John A. Winslow, who commanded the Kearsarge when she sank the Alabama during the Civil war, and who was a first cousin of the sponsor's grandfather.

CONTRACT IS AWARDED

New Fire Alarm Apparatus to Cost \$235.

The committee on fire department have awarded the contract for the new fire alarm whistle and the whistle blowing apparatus to the Loper Fire Alarm Company of Stonington, Conn., for \$235. This company was the lowest of three in the bids for the work. The company will start at once to install the apparatus at the Eldridge Brewing Company plant, and according to contract will have it completed in thirty days. An Ellison whistle will be used and is understood to have a chimed effect. It will be equipped with a valve by which the sound of the whistle can be changed if desired.

The new whistle will be used exclusively for fire alarms and the old whistle which has been on the treasury for a half century will continue to arouse the people of the West End at 5.30 a. m. and 6.30 a. m.

NAVY YARD NEWS

Naval Orders

Ensign R. F. Myers the Hancock to the Minnesota.

Ensign R. N. Miller Atlantic reserve fleet to the Hancock.

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Vessel Movements

The Osceola, Warrington, and Wheeling at Guantanamo.

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The Rocket at Indian Head.

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The Me Donough at Key West.

The Yankton from Guantanamo for Santiago de Cuba.

The Helena from Hankow for Shanghai.

The San Diego from San Diego for target practice.

The Raleigh from San Diego for San Francisco.

The Supply from Manila for Guam.

The Orion will leave Hampton roads for Guantanamo about the 25th instant.

The Perkins now at Newport will

Scenic Temple

For Wednesday and Thursday

TEN REELS

"Exploits of Elaine"—Fifth episode, "The Poisoned Room," two reels. This installment recalls the days of the Medias, those poisoners of the Middle Ages. Pearl White and Arnold Daly featured.

"Ambition"—Two reel drama.

An actress eager to hear the plaudits of her audience, leaves her artist husband to tend her dying child while she struts before the footlights, revealing the lengths to which vanity will lead a woman. Featuring Ben Wilson and Frances Nelson.

"Cross of Fire"—Ray-Bee, two reels.

"Through the Muck"—Domino, two reels.

"The Clubman's Wager"—American.

"Fatty's New Role"—Keystone comedy.

Coming Friday and Saturday: "Million Dollar Mystery," 22nd episode, two reels; "The Mysterious Rose," two reels, featuring Grace Comand and Francis Ford; "Mutual Weekly," Hogan and the Porter, Keystone comedy.

ed on the lot at the corner of Middle and State streets.

That the friends of a well known resident of Lafayette road say he made great time getting to the fire the other night.

That they would like to know just what he did with his night shirt.

POLICE COURT.

As the result of a lively fight on Hanover street, James Nicholas and Alexander Downs, faced the court today charged with assault. According to the testimony it appears that a sailor did the most of the punching and that he put a few trade marks on Downs. Nicholas who attempted to act as peace maker was used rather roughly for his trouble. When the parties arrived at the scene the Jacobs had disappeared after making a record jump over a high fence. A search for the bluejacket failed to locate him and the police brought in the other participants of the battle. The court suspended costs of \$5 against Nicholas, but ordered Downs to remit \$4 and costs of \$6.

Nellie Hall of Kittery, mixed up with the thirsty brood on this side of the river on Wednesday and over estimated her capacity. It was her initial appearance before the local tribunal and naturally she expected to get by. All hopes were shattered however, when she heard the court direct Chief Hurley to arrange the necessary transportation for her to the central part of the county. She will return to society in the town across the Piscataqua when the Mayflowers of 1915 are blooming.

W. J. Morris for intoxication was sent to the county farm for three months, with costs of \$5 to work out.

BOMBARD TURKISH FORTIFICATIONS

Salonica, Feb. 25.—The Anglo-French fleet is bombarding the Turkish fleet in the Dardanelles. It is reported that the crown jewels have been removed from Constantinople into the interior of Asia Minor.

ANNUAL VISITATION

The annual visitation and inspection of the Will Clinton Commandery Knights Templar, by Rt. Hon. Grand Commander Arthur S. Hunting of Manchester, takes place this evening. Following the ceremonies a banquet will be enjoyed for which the Rockingham will cater.

BELGIUM RELIEF.

Foodstuffs and clothing for the relief of the Belgian sufferers will be received at the office of the County Solicitor, Court House, throughout this week.

P. A. C. MINSTRELS.

Rehearsal for ends and chorus singers Friday evening, instead of Thursday, as previously announced.

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March 12—Mr. Lyman Almy Perkins, organ; Mr. Leon VanVleet, cello; Miss Borthwick, soloist.

March 19—Mr. John Hermann Loud, F. A. G. O., organ; Mrs. Bennett, soloist.

March 26—Mr. John Hermann Loud, F. A. G. O., organ; Miss Borthwick, soloist.

A short address will be given each evening.

Good Friday, April 2—A service will be held with appropriate organ and vocal music, and preaching by President Albert Parker Fitch, of Andover Seminary.